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Respectfully submitted,

Rhyne et al., Applicant(s)

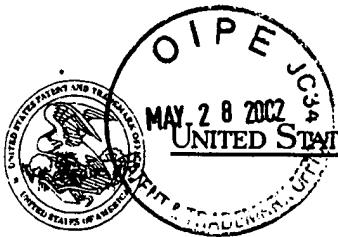
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Filing Date Granted

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- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$306.
 - **\$306** for 17 total claims over 20.
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